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Applicant : Sligar et al.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R.1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 11, 2004 and further to the Amendments filed August 3 and 25, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections and entry of the following amendments to the claims. This Amendment is accompanied by a Petition of Extension of Time (two months) and the necessary fees.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.